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Title: METHOD FOR IMPROVING CRYSTALLINE TITANOSILICATE CATALYST
HAVING MWW STRUCTURE

AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Office Action dated September 16, 2005 (Paper No. 091405) in the above identified patent application. This response is being timely filed by December 16, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application, without prejudice, as follows.